



Review of Polling Districts, Polling Places and Polling Stations

Consultation responses and (Acting) Returning Officer Comments

January 2020

Introduction

This report sets out the responses received during the consultation phase of the statutory polling district review and the (Acting) Returning Officer's responses to them.

It also summarises the (Acting) Returning Officer's final recommendations to be considered by the Chief Executive of Hull City Council.

The electoral register will be re-published on 3 February 2020 to implement the accepted recommendations.

Avenue ward

Most of Avenue ward is within the Parliamentary constituency of Kingston upon Hull North. However, the constituency boundary does not follow the ward boundary and two small areas of the ward are within the Kingston upon Hull West & Hessle constituency – these two areas are AV7W and AV8W.

Polling District	Polling Place	Electorate
AV1N	Avenues Library, Chanterlands Avenue, HU5 3TS	2390
AV2N	Methodist Church, Blenheim Street/Princes Avenue, HU5 3QP	1165
AV3N	St Vincents Social Club, 32 Queens Road, HU5 2QP	1601
AV4N	Veterans' Pavilion, Pearson Park, HU5 2SY	1203
AV5N	Bus in Thoresby Primary School car park, Thoresby Street, HU5 3RG	1417
AV6N	St Ninian's and St Andrew's Church Hall, St Ninians Walk, HU5 4DJ	1154
AV7W	Veterans' Pavilion, Pearson Park, HU5 2SY	353
AV8W	Veterans' Pavilion, Pearson Park, HU5 2SY	0

There are currently no significant potential housing developments in Avenue ward within the next five years that would impact on the number of electors in the ward's polling districts.

Recommendations

The (Acting) Returning Officer does not propose any changes within Avenue Ward.

Consultation responses and (Acting) Returning Officer comments

Polling Place	Consultation response received from	Comments received	Acting Returning Officer's response to consultation comments	Acting Returning Officer's Recommendations
AV2N – Methodist Church	Resident in polling district	I have a mobility impairment and have started voting by post to avoid having to get to the polling station.	It is difficult provide a response to this elector, as their particular circumstances aren't known. However, the Methodist Church has suitable disabled access.	Propose existing Polling District & Polling Place remains unchanged.
AV6N St. Ninian's & St. Andrew's Church Hall.	Hull Labour Group	There was a problem for a couple of people who needed disabled access to the polling station, the attendant had to take the ballot paper to the person outside to cast their vote. Could an up and over ramp be provided please?	KWL do provide a substantial temporary ramp at this station.	Propose existing Polling District & Polling Place remains unchanged.

AV7W Veteran's Pavilion, Pearson Park	Hull Labour Group	Concern about the lighting around the pavilion has been expressed by the Labour Group.	The Major Projects Team have stated that the lighting around the Pavilion will not be improved as part of the restoration works currently underway for ecological reasons. We are, however, able to supply temporary lighting on an ad hoc basis as deemed necessary.	Propose existing Polling District & Polling Place remains unchanged.
AV8W Veteran's Pavilion, Pearson Park	Hull Labour Group	The station for AV2N Methodist Church, Blenheim Street would be much closer for residents to access.	There are currently no electors in AV8W. Due to the non-coterminous boundary, AV8W is in Kingston upon West and Hessle constituency. Therefore, it is more practical for administering a Parliamentary election for AV8W to be located with the other polling district, AV7W, in the same constituency.	Propose existing Polling District & Polling Place remains unchanged.

Beverley & Newland ward

The whole of Beverley & Newland ward is in the Kingston upon Hull North constituency.

Polling District	Polling Place	Electorate
BE1N	Newland St John Parish Hall, Clough Road, HU6 7PA	2252
BE2N	Post Office, 804 Beverley Road, HU6 7HD	1388
BE3N	Riverside Community Centre, Parkstone Road, HU6 7DE	1878
BE4N	Trafalgar Centre, 144 Compass Road, HU6 7BG	1343
BE5N	Trinity Methodist Church Hall, Corner of Newland Avenue & Cottingham Road, HU5 2EJ	1522
BE6N	The Space Dance Studio, 107 - 109 Grafton Street, HU5 2NP	1503

There are currently no significant potential housing developments in Beverley & Newland ward within the next five years that would impact on the number of electors in the ward's polling districts.

Recommendations

1. The polling place for BE1N was moved from Newland Christian Centre to Newland St John Parish Hall, due to building works. Now that the building works are complete, the (Acting) Returning Officer is proposing that the polling place for BE1N returns to Newland Christian Centre, Beverley Road, Hull HU6 7LG

Proposed arrangements

Polling	Polling Place	Electorate
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District		
BE1N	Newland Christian Centre, 552 Beverley Road, Hull HU6 7LG	2252
BE2N	Post Office, 804 Beverley Road, HU6 7HD	1388
BE3N	Riverside Community Centre, Parkstone Road, HU6 7DE	1878
BE4N	Trafalgar Centre, 144 Compass Road, HU6 7BG	1343
BE5N	Trinity Methodist Church Hall, Corner of Newland Avenue & Cottingham Road, HU5 2EJ	1522
BE6N	The Space Dance Studio, 107 - 109 Grafton Street, HU5 2NP	1503

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Polling Place	Consultation response received from	Comments received	Acting Returning Officer's response to consultation comments	Acting Returning Officer's Recommendations
BE3N – Riverside Community Centre	Resident in polling district	No specific comment made		Propose existing Polling District & Polling Place remains unchanged.

BE2N – Post Office	Hull Labour Group Cllr Chaytor	Post Office is situated on the main road with very limited, if any, parking. Suggest moving the station to Oak Road Playing Field Pavilion which has ample parking.	Visited Pavilion 08.01.20 which is run by the Men in Sheds organisation. This is mainly a workshop rather than a Community pavilion and as such is unsuitable.	Propose existing Polling District & Polling Place remains unchanged.

Boothferry ward

The whole of Boothferry ward is in the Kingston upon Hull West & Hessle constituency.

Polling District	Polling Place	Electorate
BF1W	St Martin's Church, North Road, HU4 6DD	3346
BF2W	Like Mother Like Daughter, (formerly Henleys 4 Property), 746-748 Spring Bank West, HU5 5AA	3173
BF3W	Anlaby Park Community Library, Mead Walk, HU4 6XH	2815

There are currently 36 potential houses to be developed in BF1W within the next five years. Based on the average electors per household, there is a potential for 80 additional electors.

Recommendations

The three current polling districts all exceed the recommend 2,500 elector limit, therefore the (Acting) Returning Officer is proposing to split each of the existing three polling districts into two, creating a total of six polling districts.

The (Acting) Returning Officer proposes:

1. The current BF1W polling district to be split into two new polling districts, with the boundary being created down the centre of Calvert Lane and then along Anlaby Road to the roundabout with Boothferry Road. The left hand side polling district would be designated BF1W and the right BF2W. Both polling districts will use the existing polling place of St Martin's Church on North Road, which is of sufficient size to accommodate two polling stations.

2. The current BF2W polling district to be split into two with the new boundary running along the back of 149 Rosedale Grove, turning right through the open space between 146-149 and 151-161 Rosedale Grove, crossing Rosedale Grove and following the alley way between 144 and 152 Rosedale. The boundary will then go left along the boundary of the open space in front of 146-174 Rosedale Gardens before turning right down the alley way between the back of houses on Lomond Road and Kirklands Road. At the bottom of the alley way, the boundary will go behind 870 to 860 Spring Bank West to Patterdale Road. It will then go south down the centre of Patterdale Road, then going east down the centre of Spring Bank West in front of 860 to 870 Spring Bank West before going south along the alley way between Corpus Christi Church and 905 Spring Bank West, following the alley down to the existing southern boundary of the polling district.

The new polling district to the east will be designated BF3W and the new polling district to the west will be designated BF4W

The (Acting) Returning Officer is aware of concerns of the distance to the current polling station for residents in the East of this polling district. Therefore it is proposed that the polling place for the new BF3W polling district would continue to be Henleys 4 Property and the new BF4W polling district's polling place will be the Hastings Hotel at 925 Spring Bank West.

3. The current BF3W to be split into two. The proposed split, would go from the existing northern ward boundary running down the back of 91 to 1 East Ella Drive, before running behind 964 – 968 Anlaby Road, along the side of 968 Anlaby Road and then in front of 964-968 Anlaby Road. The boundary would then go South to the rear of the even numbered properties on Plantation Drive West, before going behind 61-57 Park Lane West. The boundary would then cross Park Lane West, crossing the road and running behind 58-72 Park Lane West. At this point the boundary would run south in between the rear of the properties on Woodland End and Lexington Drive, before going west in between the rear of properties on Southern Dive and Costello Playing Fields, before running south down the centre of Anlaby Park Road North to meet the ward boundary.

The new polling district to the east will be designate BF5W and the west, BF6W. The polling place for both polling districts would continue to be Anlaby Park Community Library on Mead Walk, which is big enough to accommodate two polling stations.

Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Estimated Electorate
BF1W	St Martin's Church, North Road, HU4 6DD	1733
BF2W	St Martin's Church, North Road, HU4 6DD	1683
BF3W	Like Mother Like Daughter, (Formerly Henleys 4 Property), 746-748 Spring Bank West, HU5 5AA	1545
BF4W	Hastings Hotel, 925 Spring Bank West, HU5 5BE	1628
BF5W	Anlaby Park Community Library, Mead Walk, HU4 6XH	1330
BF6W	Anlaby Park Community Library, Mead Walk, HU4 6XH	1485

Consultation responses and (Acting) Returning Officer comments

Polling Place	Consultation response received from	Comments received	Acting Returning Officer's response to consultation comments	Acting Returning Officer's Recommendations
BF1W	Resident in polling district	Suggest Eastfield School would be a more suitable building to be used as a polling station.	Eastfield School was used previously but the current arrangement is very suitable and has	Propose existing Polling District & Polling Place remains

			been in place for quite some time.	unchanged.
BF2W	Hull Labour Group	<p>This is a double station – could it be split into 2 with one at the Derringham Bank Methodist Church and one at Henleys 4 Property (now Like Mother Like Daughter). This will make it easier for residents as the road is very long and mean a station is located at each end of the road.</p>	<p>The concern regarding the distance to Henleys 4 Property for electors on the West side of the polling district have been taken into account with the proposal to split the polling district.</p> <p>Derringham Bank Methodist Church do not wish to be used as a polling place; therefore the only other suitable building is The Hastings Hotel.</p>	Propose initial recommendations for the Polling District & Polling Place remain unchanged.
BF4W	Hull Liberal Democrats Group	<p>Polling station at Hasting Hotel is considered an inappropriate location for a polling station.</p> <p>Vulnerable members of society would not wish to enter a pub environment. The prospect can make some members of the public feel extremely anxious.</p> <p>Some people with religious beliefs would not enter a place where alcohol is sold.</p>	<p>Whilst the concerns regarding The Hastings Hotel are noted, Derringham Bank Methodist Church do not wish to be used as a polling place.</p> <p>The Hastings Hotel is the only suitable location, which is</p>	Propose initial recommendations for the Polling District & Polling Place remain unchanged.

		Suggested to move the polling station to Derringham Church to encourage voters and safeguard members of the public.	available.	
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Bricknell ward

The whole of Beverley & Newland ward is in the Kingston upon Hull North constituency.

Polling District	Polling Place	Electorate
BK1N	Childrens Centre, Bricknell Primary School, Bricknell Avenue, HU5 4ET	2873
BK2N	Commonwealth Homes, Hartoft Road, HU5 4LE	1740
BK3N	Baptist Church, Corner of Chanterlands Avenue North, Cottingham Road, HU5 4AY	1707

There is potential for 71 new homes to be built over the next 5 years in Bricknell ward, all in BK2N polling district. Based on the average number of electors registered to vote per property in this ward, it is estimated an additional 125 electors could be registered in the next five years.

Recommendations

1. In order to meet the 2,500 elector recommendation for BK1N, The (Acting) Returning Officer is proposing to alter the polling district boundary between BK1N and BK2N so that Ancaster Avenue and number 1- 127 and 2 - 48 Fairfax Avenue are moved from BK1N into polling district BK2N.

Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Estimated Electorate
BK1N	Childrens Centre, Bricknell Primary School, Bricknell Avenue, HU5 4ET	2426

BK2N	Commonwealth Homes, Hartoft Road, HU5 4LE	2312
BK3N	Baptist Church, Corner of Chanterlands Avenue North, Cottingham Road, HU5 4AY	1707

Consultation responses and (Acting) Returning Officer comments

Polling Place	Consultation response received from	Comments received	Acting Returning Officer's response to consultation comments	Acting Returning Officer's Recommendations
BK1N – Childrens Centre	Resident in polling district	No comments made		Propose initial recommendations for the Polling District & Polling Place remain unchanged

Central ward

The majority of Central ward is located in the Parliamentary constituency of Kingston upon Hull West & Hessle, but two areas fall within Kingston upon Hull North, which are designated CE1N and CE2N.

Polling District	Polling Place	Electorate
CE1N	Hull Mosque & Islamic Centre, 2 Berkeley Street, HU3 1PR	17
CE2N	Beverley Road Baths, 250 Beverley Road, HU5 1AN	1408
CE3W	Mitchell Community Centre, Goodrich Close, Fountain Road, HU2 0BQ	1523
CE4W	St Paul's Church Hall, Bridlington Avenue, HU2 0DU	921
CE5W	Spring Bank Community Centre, West Parade, HU3 1BX	1055
CE6W	Hull Mosque & Islamic Centre, 2 Berkeley Street, HU3 1PR	1642

Over the next five years, there are a number of potential additional homes being built in the ward.

CE3W has the potential for 24 new homes, giving an estimate of 30 additional electors.

CE4W has the potential for 123 new homes, giving an estimate of 150 additional electors.

CE5W has the potential for 64 new properties, giving an estimate of 78 additional electors.

These potential developments will not have a significant impact on the number of electors within the polling districts.

Recommendations

1. Following the ward boundary changes in 2018, a small patch of land behind the Jackson's Factory at 40 Derringham Street, HU3 1EW, has been identified as being within the Kingston upon Hull North parliamentary constituency. This area of land is currently within CE5W polling district, which is part of the Kingston upon Hull West & Hessle constituency.

Although there aren't any residential properties on this patch of land or any development planned, it is necessary to create a separate polling district, so that it can be separated out as part of Kingston upon Hull North constituency. This patch of land will be made into its own polling district, designated as CE7N. As each polling district must have a designated polling place, it will be allocated to the nearest existing polling place of Spring Bank Community Centre, West Parade, HU3 1BX.

Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Estimated Electorate
CE1N	Hull Mosque & Islamic Centre, 2 Berkeley Street, HU3 1PR	17
CE2N	Beverley Road Baths, 250 Beverley Road, HU5 1AN	1408
CE3W	Mitchell Community Centre, Goodrich Close, Fountain Road, HU2 0BQ	1553
CE4W	St Paul's Church Hall, Bridlington Avenue, HU2 0DU	1071
CE5W	Spring Bank Community Centre, West Parade, HU3 1BX	1133
CE6W	Hull Mosque & Islamic Centre, 2 Berkeley Street, HU3 1PR	1642
CE7N	Spring Bank Community Centre, West Parade, HU3 1BX	0

Consultation responses and (Acting) Returning Officer comments

Polling Place	Consultation response received from	Comments received	Acting Returning Officer's response to consultation comments	Acting Returning Officer's Recommendations
CE4W St, Paul's Church Hall, Bridlington Avenue	Hull Labour Group	Residents in the bottom eastern area of this district, particularly the elderly living in Charterhouse, have expressed that they would like a station to be located where it was prior to the review this year i.e. Elim Pentecostal Church Hall, Bourne Street.	<p>The current polling station is located reasonably centrally in the polling district. Moving the polling place to Elim Pentecostal Church Hall, which is on the edge of the polling district, would potentially disenfranchise a large proportion of electors in the polling district.</p> <p>Residents in Charterhouse may wish to consider an absent vote, if they have difficulty getting to the polling station.</p>	Propose existing Polling District & Polling Place remains unchanged.

Derringham

The whole of Derringham ward is within the constituency of Kingston upon Hull West & Hessle.

Polling District	Polling Place	Electorate
DE1W	The Manor Farm Public House, Westlands Road (rear entrance), 194 Willerby Road, HU5 5JW	2447
DE2W	USH Hair and Beauty, 246 Wold Road, HU5 5XG	2133
DE3W	Priory Baptist Church, Hotham Road South, HU5 5RN	1431
DE4W	Priory Children's Centre, Priory Road, HU5 5RU	1541
DE5W	Priory Baptist Church, Hotham Road South, HU5 5RN	1744

There are currently no significant potential housing developments in Derringham ward within the next five years that would impact on the number of electors in the ward's polling districts.

The Boundary Commission for England are responsible for recommending changes to Parliamentary Constituencies and Parliament are responsible for deciding if the changes should be implemented. Parliament are currently considering proposals to change some of the boundaries, which includes moving most of Derringham ward into Kingston upon Hull North, with two small areas of Derringham remaining in Kingston upon Hull West & Hessle.

Recommendations

In order for the (Acting) Returning Officer to be able to administer a Parliamentary Election, should Parliament accept the Boundary Commission for England's proposals, two new polling districts are proposed, to separate out the two areas of the ward which would be in a different Parliamentary constituency to the rest.

Electors in these new polling districts will still vote in the same polling place as they current do under the current arrangements.

1. DE1W polling district to be split along County Road South and Willerby Road to create DE6W, which would contain:

- Aylesbury Grove
- Calvert Road: 1-119
- Country Road South: 2-150
- Scalby Grove
- Seagrave Grove
- Willerby Road: 2-152
- Wold Road: 1-19 & 2-64

2. DE4W to be split along Country Road North to create a new polling district, DE7W, which would contain:

- Celandine Close
- Country Road North (No residential properties)
- Heather Close
- Sorrell Drive

Should the Parliamentary constituency boundary changes be accepted, DE6W and DE7W would be renamed DE6N and DE7N respectively.

Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Estimated Electorate
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DE1W	The Manor Farm Public House, Westlands Road (rear entrance), 194 Willerby Road, HU5 5JW	1864
DE2W	USH Hair and Beauty, 246 Wold Road, HU5 5XG	2133
DE3W	Priory Baptist Church, Hotham Road South, HU5 5RN	1431
DE4W	Priory Children's Centre, Priory Road, HU5 5RU	1380
DE5W	Priory Baptist Church, Hotham Road South, HU5 5RN	1744
DE6W	The Manor Farm Public House, Westlands Road (rear entrance), 194 Willerby Road, HU5 5JW	583
DE7W	Priory Children's Centre, Priory Road, HU5 5RU	161

Consultation responses and (Acting) Returning Officer comments

Polling Place	Consultation response received from	Comments received	Acting Returning Officer's response to consultation comments	Acting Returning Officer's Recommendations
DE3W	Hull Liberal Democrats Group	<p>Too far to travel to the Baptist Church on Hotham Road South.</p> <p>Suggested that a polling station at Springhead Golf Course or the new Community Café would be better for DE3W to be broken away from the DE5W, which</p>	Visited Springhead Golf Course Community Café on 8.1.20. The café building is highly suitable as a polling station venue and has all the required facilities.	Propose to move DE3W from Priory Baptist Church to Springhead Golf Club.

		should stay at the Baptist Church.	There is good access from Wymersley Road.	
DE3W / DE5W	Hull Labour Group	Suggests having the stations for DE3W and DE5W at Priory Baptist Church is too far for residents at the most far reaches of both districts to travel. Councillor Fudge, a former Derringham ward Councillor, suggests having a station at either Odd Bottle Public House or St. Thomas Church (Hotham Road/Louis Drive) for DE3W and a station at the Abbey Public House on Coronation Road North for voters at the top part of DE5W. Both areas have a large number of elderly voters	Comments have been considered. Contact has been made with suggested venues and is ongoing.	Propose to move DE3W from Priory Baptist Church to Springhead Golf Club as this is closer to most of the electors in this district. DE5W to remain at Priory Baptist church.

Revised Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Estimated Electorate
DE1W	The Manor Farm Public House, Westlands Road (rear entrance), 194 Willerby Road, HU5 5JW	1864
DE2W	USH Hair and Beauty, 246 Wold Road, HU5 5XG	2133
DE3W	Community Café, Springhead Golf Club Willerby Road HU5 5JE	1431
DE4W	Priory Children's Centre, Priory Road, HU5 5RU	1380
DE5W	Priory Baptist Church, Hotham Road South,	1744

	HU5 5RN	
DE6W	The Manor Farm Public House, Westlands Road (rear entrance), 194 Willerby Road, HU5 5JW	583
DE7W	Priory Children's Centre, Priory Road, HU5 5RU	161

Drypool ward

Drypool ward is within the Kingston upon Hull Parliamentary constituency of Kingston upon Hull East.

Polling District	Polling Place	Electorate
DR1E	Balfour Street Community Centre, Balfour Street/Victor Street, Hull, HU9 2EU	2305
DR2E	New Cleveland Club, 90 New Cleveland Street, HU8 7HE	331
DR3E	Buckingham Primary School, Buckingham Street, HU8 8UG	2433
DR4E	Community Centre, Elm Avenue, Garden Village, HU8 8PZ	1431
DR5E	Mobile Unit, Maurice Avenue/Kathleen Road, HU8 8EB	502
DR6E	Victoria Dock Village Hall, South Bridge Road, Victoria Dock, HU9 1TL	2081

There are currently no significant potential housing developments in Drypool ward within the next five years that would impact on the number of electors in the ward's polling districts.

Recommendations

The (Acting) Returning Officer does not propose any changes to Drypool Ward.

Consultation responses and (Acting) Returning Officer comments

Polling Place	Consultation response received from	Comments received	Acting Returning Officer's response to consultation comments	Acting Returning Officer's Recommendations
DR1E & DR3E	Hull Liberal Democrats Group	Electorate close to the 2500 threshold and should be split.	As the electorate is within the Electoral Commission recommendation of 2,500 maximum station voters, there is no need to split the polling districts.	Propose existing Polling District & Polling Place remains unchanged.
DR3E	Hull Liberal Democrats Group	Split into two boxes. Historically at General Elections it has been split into two boxes Suggestion: Split DR3E into two districts (same polling station)	The electorate is within the Electoral Commission recommendation of 2,500 maximum station voters. The number of issuing tables/ ballot boxes at a	Propose existing Polling District & Polling Place remains unchanged.

			polling station is a matter for the (Acting) Returning Officer to decide upon at an election and is not in the scope of a polling district review.	
DR6E	Hull Liberal Democrats Group	<p>In the future may have 800 new dwellings on east bank of the river Hull.</p> <p>Suggestion: Split DR6E into two districts (same polling station)</p> <p>East End of Victoria Dock</p> <p>West End of Victoria Dock</p>	There are no current plans for any large scale development within the polling district. Should future development take place, this would need to be considered as part of a future polling district review.	Propose existing Polling District & Polling Place remains unchanged.

Holderness ward

Holderness ward is within the Kingston upon Hull Parliamentary constituency of Kingston upon Hull East.

Polling District	Polling Place	Electorate
HN1E	Dulcie's Cafe, Dove House Hospice, Chamberlain Road, HU8 8DH	2531
HN2E	East Hull United Reformed Church, James Reckitt Avenue, Clifford Avenue, HU8 0LP	1976
HN3E	Lambwath Restaurant, Sutton Road, HU8 0HU	1765
HN4E	Westcott Tots Nursery, Westcott Street, HU8 8NB	2077
HN5E	Veterans' Pavilion, East Park, HU8 8JU	708

There are currently no significant potential housing developments in Holderness ward within the next five years that would impact on the number of electors in the ward's polling districts.

Recommendations

The (Acting) Returning Officer is not proposing any changes to Holderness ward. As HN1E is only just over the recommended 2,500 electors, and over 300 are postal voters, the (Acting) Returning Officer does not feel any change for this particular polling district is necessary.

Consultation responses and (Acting) Returning Officer comments

Polling Place	Consultation response received from	Comments received	Acting Returning Officer's response to consultation comments	Acting Returning Officer's Recommendations
HN1E	Hull Liberal Democrats Group	<p>Dulcie's Café is inappropriate as it is not in a central location of HN1E.</p> <p>Over a few years the council have reduced three polling stations into one, which is in the bottom corner of the box boundary – find somewhere more central.</p> <p>Consider re-instating a hut for people on the north side of the box.</p>	A mobile unit has been used for the Rockford Fields/Lindengate Avenue area but has always had access issues and was therefore deemed unsuitable. Also the siting of the mobile unit at this location proved difficult and required the road to be closed for a period of time.	Propose existing Polling District & Polling Place remains unchanged.
HN3E	Resident in polling district	No comments, polling is accessible in my area.		Propose existing Polling District & Polling Place remains unchanged.
HN3E	Hull Liberal Democrats Group	Concerns that Sutton has a box in the same location – risk of votes going into wrong boxes.	<p>Polling station staff ensure clear instructions are given to electors.</p> <p>Different coloured ballot papers are used to</p>	Propose existing Polling District & Polling Place remains unchanged.

			ensure should any ballot papers go into the wrong ward ballot box, they can be identified at the count and included in the correct ward.	
HN5E	Hull Liberal Democrats Group	Concerns that Southcoates also have a box in the same location – risk of votes going into wrong boxes.	<p>Polling station staff ensure clear instructions are given to electors.</p> <p>Different coloured ballot papers are used to ensure should any ballot papers go into the wrong ward ballot box, they can be identified at the count and included in the correct ward.</p>	Propose existing Polling District & Polling Place remains unchanged.

Ings ward

Ings Ward is within the parliamentary constituency of Kingston upon Hull East.

Polling District	Polling Place	Electorate
IN1E	Club House, Sutton Park Golf Course, Saltshouse Road, HU8 9HF	1952
IN2E	Kingston Wesley Church Hall, Holderness Road, HU9 3LP	2753
IN3E	Ings Library, Savoy Road, HU8 0TY	1684
IN4E	St Francis of Assisi RC Church Hall, Wembley Park Avenue, HU8 0ND	810

Over the next five years, there is potential for 238 properties to be built in IN3E and 24 properties in IN4E polling districts. Based on the average number of electors per property in the ward, there could be 400 additional electors in IN3E and 41 in IN4E.

The number of electors in polling district IN2E currently exceeds the recommended 2,500 limit. The (Acting) Returning Officer is also aware that concerns have been raised that electors in IN2E polling district, to the east of Holderness Drain have difficulty in getting to the location of the polling place.

Recommendations

1. The (Acting) Returning Officer proposes to split IN2E to create a new polling district containing the streets east of Holderness Drain, which would be designated IN5E. The polling place for IN5E would be East Hull Boxing Club, St Bede's Church Hall at the junction of Hopewell Road and Staveley Road.

Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Estimated Electorate
IN1E	Club House, Sutton Park Golf Course, Saltshouse Road, HU8 9HF	2352
IN2E	Kingston Wesley Church Hall, Holderness Road, HU9 3LP	2128
IN3E	Ings Library, Savoy Road, HU8 0TY	2084
IN4E	St Francis of Assisi RC Church Hall, Wembley Park Avenue, HU8 0ND	851
IN5E	East Hull Boxing Club, St Bede`s Church Hall, Hopewell Road/Staveley Road, HU9 4SJ	624

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Polling Place	Consultation response received from	Comments received	Acting Returning Officer's response to consultation comments	Acting Returning Officer's Recommendations
IN2E – Kingston Wesley	Resident in polling district	Lack of parking at polling station, on some polling days there have been weigh ins for weight loss groups at the same time meaning the car park cannot be used.	There is adequate parking at the polling station. It is beyond the (Acting) Returning Officer's control as to who uses the parking spaces.	Propose existing Polling District & Polling Place remains unchanged.
IN2E St. Michael & All Angels	Hull Labour Group	This was new for the 2018 elections and was totally unsuitable because it was not within easy walking distance for residents who	The polling place was changed back to Kingston Wesley for the 2019 local elections due to the same	Propose a further split of IN2E creating a new IN6E polling district, with IN2E

Church Hall		<p>live on Anson, Leander and Staveley Roads and there was inadequate parking and disabled access and facilities.</p> <p>It would be much easier for voters in the district to have 3 polling stations:</p> <p>Kingston Wesley Church on Holderness Road - this church is more accessible and has adequate parking and disabled access;</p> <p>East Hull Boxing Club, St. Bede's Church Hall - this church is within walking distance for residents living on Anson, Leander and Staveley Roads. It has a car park and disabled access. This station is also used by Marfleet Ward MF6E. However, if St. Bede's Church Hall is not possible then would suggest trying The Barham Hotel, 663 Marfleet Lane, HU9 4TN;</p> <p>And the area above Holderness Road i.e. Grasby Road/Holm Garth Drive area prior to the boundary review voted at the station at Ings Library, Savoy Road but now are in IN2E. There are over 1,000 voters</p>	<p>concerns raised in the consultation response.</p> <p>The initial proposals recommend splitting IN2E polling district, so electors living on Anson, Leander and Staveley Roads are in a separate polling district, IN5E.</p> <p>Electors resident in the area north of Holderness Road in IN2E (Grasby Road/Holm Garth Drive) are now further away from their polling station following the move to Kingston Wesley in 2019 and propose new arrangements.</p>	<p>electors voting at Ings Library (with IN3E) and IN6E using the existing Kingston Wesley station.</p>
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		<p>and they are used to going to the shops on Savoy Road and voting at the same time so would suggest making the station at Ings Library which serves IN3E a double station.</p> <p>Ings residents (a predominantly elderly population) to the north side of Holderness Road had used the Ings CSC (the shopping and community hub) a much more accessible station for 16 years since the last boundary changes in 2002 and this year around 1000 of these residents had to use the least accessible St. Michael's station which was ludicrous</p>		
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Revised Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Estimated Electorate
IN1E	Club House, Sutton Park Golf Course, Saltshouse Road, HU8 9HF	1958
IN2E	Ings Library, Savoy Road, HU8 0TY	1214
IN3E	Ings Library, Savoy Road, HU8 0TY	1689

IN4E	St Francis of Assisi RC Church Hall, Wembley Park Avenue, HU8 0ND	807
IN5E	East Hull Boxing Club, St Bede`s Church Hall, Hopewell Road/Staveley Road, HU9 4SJ	650
IN6E	Kingston Wesley Church Hall, Holderness Road, HU9 3LP	891

Kingswood ward

Kingswood Ward is within the parliamentary constituency of Kingston upon Hull North.

Polling District	Polling Place	Electorate
KW1N	Cineworld, Kingswood Retail Park, Gibraltar Road, HU7 3DB	1890
KW2N	Kingswood Health Centre, Multi Purpose Room (1st Floor), 10 School Lane, HU7 3JQ	4263

KW2N polling district has significant housing developments over the next five years with potential for an additional 443 homes. Based on the average number of electors per property in the ward, there could be 723 additional electors

The number of electors in polling district KW2N already greatly exceeds the recommended 2,500 limit and this is set to significantly increase over the next five years.

Recommendations

1. The (Acting) Returning Officer proposes to split KW2N to create two polling districts. The split, from the east, will start at the polling district boundary with KW1N, running along the footpath northwards to Richmond Lane. It will then run east along the centre of Richmond Lane to the roundabout, continuing east along Richmond Way and on to Runnymede Way. The

boundary will then follow the back of the odd numbered properties on Greenwich Park before re-joining Richmond Way. On Richmond Way the boundary will go south a short way before going west following the drain to the ward boundary.

The more northerly new polling district will be named KW3N, with the southern polling district named KW2N.

The polling place for KW2N and KW3N will be Kingswood Health Centre on School Lane.

Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Estimated Electorate
KW1N	Cineworld, Kingswood Retail Park, Gibraltar Road, HU7 3DB	1890
KW2N	Kingswood Health Centre, Multi Purpose Room (1st Floor), 10 School Lane, HU7 3JQ	2500
KW3N	Kingswood Health Centre, Multi Purpose Room (1st Floor), 10 School Lane, HU7 3JQ	2500

Consultation responses and (Acting) Returning Officer comments

No comments received.

Longhill & Bilton Grange ward

Longhill & Bilton Grange ward is within the parliamentary constituency of Kingston upon Hull East.

Polling District	Polling Place	Electorate
LB1E	Mountbatten Primary School, Wivern Road, HU9 4HR	453
LB2E	Acorn Centre, Nestor Grove, HU9 4DB	1932
LB3E	St Margaret's Church Hall, Shannon Road, HU8 9PD	2356
LB4E	Mobile Unit, Wansbeck Primary School Playing Fields, Wansbeck Road (Near Tamar Grove), HU8 9SR	3019
LB5E	St Philip`s Church Hall, Amethyst Rd / Barham Rd, HU9 4JG	1524

There is no significant potential housing development over the next five years in the ward.

The electorate in polling district LB4E exceeds the recommended 2,500 elector limit.

Recommendations

1. The (Acting) Returning Officer proposed to split LB4E polling district into two separate polling districts, with the boundary running along Ganstead Lane. The polling district to the West will be designated LB4E and the polling district to the East will be designated LB6E.

Both polling districts will continue to use Wansbeck Primary School, although the (Acting) Returning Officer is open to suggestions for considering an alternative polling place for LB6E polling district.

Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Estimated Electorate
LB1E	Mountbatten Primary School, Wivern Road, HU9 4HR	453
LB2E	Acorn Centre, Nestor Grove, HU9 4DB	1932
LB3E	St Margaret's Church Hall, Shannon Road, HU8 9PD	2356
LB4E	Mobile Unit, Wansbeck Primary School Playing Fields, Wansbeck Road (Near Tamar Grove), HU8 9SR	1490
LB5E	St Philip`s Church Hall, Amethyst Rd / Barham Rd, HU9 4JG	1524
LB6E	Mobile Unit, Wansbeck Primary School Playing Fields, Wansbeck Road (Near Tamar Grove), HU8 9SR	1528

Consultation responses and (Acting) Returning Officer comments

Polling Place	Consultation response received from	Comments received	Acting Returning Officer's response to consultation comments	Acting Returning Officer's Recommendations
LB4E	Hull Labour Group	<p>Mobile unit at Wansbeck School is not suitable for the size of the electorate, parking is very limited and disabled access is poor.</p> <p>Consider using Sherwood Court.</p>	<p>LB4E polling district has been split to allow the (Acting) Returning Officer to consider options for new polling places.</p> <p>Contacted Pickering and Ferens regarding Sherwood Court. Unfortunately, they only have bungalows at Sherwood Court – no pop in or office base that we could use.</p> <p>Contacted Papas Fish Restaurant 7.1.20 regarding using a room in their premises or siting a mobile unit in their car park. Awaiting response.</p>	<p>Propose that the new polling district LB4E use Eastmount Community Centre.</p> <p>Propose that the new LB6E polling district use either Papas or Wansbeck mobile unit.</p>
LB1E	Cllr Connor and Cllr Kirk	Mountbatten Primary School has very limited parking facilities and is on the very edge of the ward.	Alderman Kneeshaw Pavilion is in a very exposed position, is poorly lit and	Propose existing Polling District & Polling Place remains

		Suggested using the Alderman Kneeshaw Pavilion as an alternative.	therefore is deemed unsuitable.	unchanged.
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Revised Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Estimated Electorate
LB1E	Mountbatten Primary School, Wivern Road, HU9 4HR	453
LB2E	Acorn Centre, Nestor Grove, HU9 4DB	1932
LB3E	St Margaret's Church Hall, Shannon Road, HU8 9PD	2356
LB4E	Eastmount Community Recreation Centre Waveney Road Hull HU8 9NB	1490
LB5E	St Philip's Church Hall, Amethyst Rd / Barham Rd, HU9 4JG	1524
LB6E	Papas or Wansbeck mobile unit.	1528

Marfleet ward

Marfleet ward is within the parliamentary constituency of Kingston upon Hull East.

Polling District	Polling Place	Electorate
MF1E	St Giles Church, Church Lane, Marfleet, HU9 5RL	701
MF2E	St Hilda`s Church Hall, Annandale Road, HU9 4JY	843
MF3E	St Hilda`s Church Hall, Annandale Road, HU9 4JY	1785
MF4E	St Stephens Church & Neighbourhood Centre, 96 Annandale Road, HU9 4LA	1190
MF5E	Bilton Grange Community Centre, Grange Road, HU9 4LQ	1006
MF6E	East Hull Boxing Club, St Bede`s Church Hall, Hopewell Road/Staveley Road, HU9 4SJ	1301
MF7E	Marfleet Community Centre, Swanfield Road, HU9 4PX	1487
MF8E	Child Dynamix - The Hut, 187E Preston Road, HU9 5UY	972

In the next five years, there is potential for 121 new properties in polling district MF8E, which is approximately 188 electors, based on the average number of electors per household in the ward. This will not increase the polling district electorate significantly.

Recommendations

The (Acting) Returning Officer is not proposing any changes to Marfleet ward.

Consultation responses and (Acting) Returning Officer comments

No comments received.

Newington & Gipsyville ward

Newington & Gipsyville ward is within the parliamentary constituency of Kingston upon Hull West & Hessle.

Polling District	Polling Place	Electorate
NG1W	St George's Primary School, Arthur Street Entrance, HU3 6ED	1026
NG2W	The Rainbow Centre, Wheeler Street, HU3 5QE	2208
NG3W	The Club House, West Hull Amateur Rugby League Club, West Hull Community Park, HU4 6LQ	4325
NG4W	Walton St Community & Leisure Centre, Goathland Close, HU3 6JB	3063

There is potential for 296 properties to be developed in NG2W over the next five years. This will give a potential increase of 415 electors, based on the average number of electors per property in the ward. This will mean NG2W may slightly exceed the recommended 2,500 elector limit. As there 238 postal voters in the polling district, the (Acting) Returning Officer is satisfied that no changes are required to the polling district.

Polling districts NG3W and NG4W exceed the recommended 2,500 elector limit.

Recommendations

1. St George's Primary School have requested the (Acting) Returning Officer considers an alternative polling place for NG1W polling district, as the school is very small and being used as a polling station causes them significant issues.

The (Acting) Returning Officer proposes to change the polling place for NG1W to William Gemmell Social Club, Anlaby Road, Hull HU3 6EN, which is only a few streets from the existing polling place.

2. The (Acting) Returning Officer proposed to split NG3W into two polling districts. The split will be from the east, running along the centre of Askew Avenue to the roundabout with Hessle Road and then running east along Hessle Road to the existing ward boundary with St Andrew's & Docklands Ward.

The more northerly new polling district will be named NG3W and the southerly will be NG4W. The Club House, West Hull Amateur Rugby League Club, West Hull Community Park will be the polling place for both polling districts.

3. The (Acting) Returning Officer proposed to split NG4W into two polling districts. The split will run along Spring Bank West from the west ward boundary before running south down the centre of De La Pole Avenue until it meets the existing polling district boundary with NG1W.

The polling district east of De La Pole Avenue will be NG5W and the polling district west of De La Pole Avenue will be NG6W.

Walton Street Community & Leisure Centre will be the polling place for both polling districts, as it is of sufficient size to accommodate two polling stations.

Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Estimated Electorate
NG1W	William Gemmell Social Club, Anlaby Road, Hull, HU3 6EN	1026
NG2W	The Rainbow Centre, Wheeler Street, HU3 5QE	2623
NG3W	The Club House, West Hull Amateur Rugby League Club, West Hull Community Park, HU4 6LQ	1979
NG4W	The Oaks Medical Centre Council Avenue HU4 6RF	2343

NG5W	Albert Avenue Pools Albert Avenue HU3 6QE	1677
NG6W	Albert Avenue Pools Albert Avenue HU3 6QE	1381

Consultation responses and (Acting) Returning Officer comments

Polling Place	Consultation response received from	Comments received	Acting Returning Officer's response to consultation comments	Acting Returning Officer's Recommendations
NG5W	Hull Labour Group	The polling station would be more accessible for voters if placed at Albert Avenue baths rather than Walton St. Community & Leisure Centre.	Albert Avenue Baths is centrally located for electors in both proposed polling districts NG5W and NG6W and the (Acting) Returning Officer deems this a more suitable polling place for both.	Propose initial recommendations for the Polling District & Polling Place remain unchanged
NG4W	Hull Labour Group	The Polling Station for NG4W would be more accessible for voters if placed at either the Oaks Medical Centre or The New Empress Public House on Hessle Road which has ample parking and a separate room that could be used.	Both venues investigated. Both are available and would be suitable but the Oaks Medical Centre is preferred as it has a larger car park, better	Propose to use Oaks Medical Centre

			lighting and disabled access.	
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North Carr ward

North Carr ward is within the parliamentary constituency of Kingston upon Hull North.

Polling District	Polling Place	Electorate
NC1N	Biggin Nursery, Biggin Hill Primary School, Biggin Avenue, HU7 4RL	3385
NC2N	Bespoke Centre, Zeals Garth, Wawne Road, HU7 4WD	1764
NC3N	North Bransholme Community Centre, Lothian Way, HU7 5DD	1917
NC4N	Compass Academy, Snowden Way, Bransholme, HU7 5DS	795
NC5N	Mobile Unit, Quarrington Grove, HU7 3DY	1868

There is potential for 590 properties to be built in NC5N polling district over the next five years. Based on the average number of electors per household in the ward, this will potentially mean an increase of 997 electors. This would put NC5N over the recommended 2,500 elector limit.

NC1N polling district currently exceeds the recommended elector limit of 2,500.

Recommendations

The (Acting) Returning Officer recommends splitting NC5N polling district into two, given the significant housing development in the north of this polling district. The proposed polling district split will be along Pioneer Way, with the southern new polling district being NC6N and the northern new polling district being named NC7N. The mobile Unit on Quarrington Grove will be designated as the polling place for both NC6N and NC7N. However, the (Acting) Returning Officer is aware as the new housing developments are completed and the electorate increases within NC7N, there may be a need to review the polling place for this polling district.

Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Electorate
NC1N	Biggin Nursery, Biggin Hill Primary School, Biggin Avenue, HU7 4RL	2500
NC2N	Biggin Nursery, Biggin Hill Primary School, Biggin Avenue, HU7 4RL	871
NC3N	Bespoke Centre, Zeals Garth, Wawne Road, HU7 4WD	1764
NC4N	North Bransholme Community Centre, Lothian Way, HU7 5DD	1917
NC5N	Compass Academy, Snowden Way, Bransholme, HU7 5DS	795
NC6N	Mobile Unit, Quarrington Grove, HU7 3DY	1800
NC7N	Mobile Unit, Quarrington Grove, HU7 3DY	997

Consultation responses and (Acting) Returning Officer comments

Polling Place	Consultation response received from	Comments received	Acting Returning Officer's response to consultation comments	Acting Returning Officer's Recommendations
NC1N Biggin Hill Primary	Hull Labour Group	Polling station at the back of Biggin Primary School should either be moved to front of the school as back is foreboding, inaccessible by car and difficult to walk to if have	The (Acting) Returning Officer accepts the concerns regarding Biggin School and proposes new arrangements. The Fire Station on Noddle	Recommends redrawing the polling district boundary between NC1N and NC2N, with the electors in NC1N now voting at nearby Alf Marshall Community Centre

		mobility problems. Also gangs of youths congregate and intimidate voters. Suggest using the Fire Station or Netherhall.	Hill Way is not deemed to be practical, given the better alternative arrangements proposed. The Netherhall facility is not available.	(currently also used as a station for electors in polling district WC4N in nearby West Carr ward) and the remaining NC2N electors (the Castle Grange development) voting at Bespoke Centre.
NC3N Lemon Tree Children's Centre	Hull Labour Group	Station too small so would suggest using North Bransholme Community Centre.	The same concerns were raised in early 2019 and this polling place was changed to North Bransholme Community Centre.	Propose existing Polling District & Polling Place remains unchanged.
NC5N	Hull Labour Group	The mobile unit at Quarrington Grove is small and less than ideal for voters. Suggest asking the Kesteven Grange Care Home if we can use them instead.	Contacted Kesteven Grange. Unfortunately, they do not wish to be used as a Polling Station.	Propose existing Polling District & Polling Place remains unchanged.

Revised Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Electorate
NC1N	Alf Marshall Community Centre, Goodhart Road, HU7 4EF	2500
NC2N	Bespoke Centre, Zeals Garth, Wawne Road, HU7 4WD	1764

NC3N	North Bransholme Community Centre, Lothian Way, HU7 5DD	1917
NC4N	Compass Academy, Snowden Way, Bransholme, HU7 5DS	795
NC5N	Mobile Unit, Quarrington Grove, HU7 3DY	1800
NC6N	Mobile Unit, Quarrington Grove, HU7 3DY	997

Orchard Park ward

Orchard Park ward is within the parliamentary constituency of Kingston upon Hull North.

Polling District	Polling Place	Electorate
OP1N	Clowes Memorial Methodist Church, 1st Avenue, HU6 9NE	650
OP2N	Courts Community Association, Courtway Road, HU6 9TA	1466
OP3N	Rampant Horse Public House, 381 Hall Road, HU6 9DT	1707
OP4N	The Orchard Centre, 210 Orchard Park Road, HU6 9BX	1260
OP5N	The Orchard Centre, 210 Orchard Park Road, HU6 9BX	2044
OP6N	Greenwood Avenue Library, 220 Greenwood Avenue, HU6 9RU	3551

There are currently no significant potential housing developments in this ward within the next five years that would impact on the number of electors in the ward's polling districts.

OP6N polling district exceeds the 2,500 recommended elector limit.

Recommendations

1. The (Acting) Returning Officer proposed to split the existing OP6N polling district into two, with the split running east to west along Greenwood Avenue. The new polling district to the north of Greenwood Avenue will be named OP6N and the polling district to the south will be named OP7N.

Greenwood Avenue Library will be designated as the polling place for both polling districts.

Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Electorate
OP1N	Clowes Memorial Methodist Church, 1st Avenue, HU6 9NE	650
OP2N	Courts Community Association, Courtway Road, HU6 9TA	1466
OP3N	Rampant Horse Public House, 381 Hall Road, HU6 9DT	1707
OP4N	The Orchard Centre, 210 Orchard Park Road, HU6 9BX	1260
OP5N	The Orchard Centre, 210 Orchard Park Road, HU6 9BX	2044
OP6N	Greenwood Avenue Library, 220 Greenwood Avenue, HU6 9RU	1929
OP7N	Greenwood Avenue Library, 220 Greenwood Avenue, HU6 9RU	1617

Consultation responses and (Acting) Returning Officer comments

No comments received.

Pickering ward

Pickering ward is within the parliamentary constituency of Kingston upon Hull West & Hessle.

Polling District	Polling Place	Electorate
PK1W	Hair by Kayleigh, 16 Sibelius Road, HU4 7NH	1107
PK2W	Bethune Avenue Information Point, 54 Bethune Avenue, HU4 7EJ	2967
PK3W	St Nicholas Church Hall, Pickering Road, HU4 6SA	1356
PK4W	St Nicholas Church Hall, Pickering Road, HU4 6SA	1202

There are currently no significant potential housing developments in Pickering ward within the next five years that would impact on the number of electors in the ward's polling districts.

PK2W polling district currently exceeds the recommended 2,500 elector limit.

Recommendations

1. The (Acting) Returning Officer proposes that PK2W be split into two polling districts, with the split being along the back of the even numbered properties on Wascana Close, down the centre of Anlaby Park Road South and along the centre of Bethune Avenue.

The northern polling district will be designated PK2W and the southern polling district will be designated PK3W.

The existing PK3W polling district will be renamed PK4W

The existing PK4W polling district will be renamed PK5W

Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Estimated Electorate
PK1W	Hair by Kayleigh, 16 Sibelius Road, HU4 7NH	1107
PK2W	Bethune Avenue Information Point, 54 Bethune Avenue, HU4 7EJ	1637
PK3W	Bethune Avenue Information Point, 54 Bethune Avenue, HU4 7EJ	1637
PK4W	St Nicholas Church Hall, Pickering Road, HU4 6SA	1356
PK5W	St Nicholas Church Hall, Pickering Road, HU4 6SA	1202

Consultation responses and (Acting) Returning Officer comments

No comments received.

Southcoates ward

Southcoates ward is located in the parliamentary constituency of Kingston upon Hull East.

Polling District	Polling Place	Electorate
SC1E	Veterans' Pavilion, East Park, HU8 8JU	2091
SC2E	Sacred Heart Church Hall, Southcoates Lane, HU9 3AP	1875
SC3E	Estcourt Primary School, Estcourt Street, HU9 2RP	1899
SC4E	Southcoates Primary School, (Nursery Block), St John's Grove entrance, HU9 3TW	1734
SC5E	The Freedom Centre - First Floor, 97 Preston Road, HU9 3QB	1475
SC6E	Portobello Church Hall, Holderness Road, HU9 3JR	1452

There are currently no significant potential housing developments in Southcoates ward within the next five years that would impact on the number of electors in the ward's polling districts.

Recommendations

The (Acting) Returning Officer does not propose any changes within Southcoates ward.

Consultation responses and (Acting) Returning Officer comments

No comments received.

St. Andrew's & Docklands ward

St Andrew's & Docklands ward is located in the parliamentary constituency of Kingston upon Hull West & Hessle.

Polling District	Polling Place	Electorate
SD1W	The Octagon - Reception Area, Walker Street, HU3 2RA	2791
SD2W	Hands on History Museum, Old Grammar School, South Church Side, HU1 1RR	1893
SD3W	Maurice Rawling Centre, 41 Bean Street, HU3 2PN	1495
SD4W	Boulevard Baptist Church, Gordon Street, HU3 3HJ	1607
SD5W	Edinburgh Street Community Centre, Edinburgh Street, HU3 5AR	1183
SD6W	St Matthew's Church Hall, Boulevard, (opposite Malm Street), HU3 2TA	1466

In the next five years, there is potentially significant developments within polling district SD2W, with around 1090 properties. Based on the average number of electors per household in St Andrew's & Docklands ward, there is potential for an additional 1200 electors. This would put the polling district over the recommended 2,500 elector limit.

There is a small number of planned development in SD1W of 47 properties, which would increase the electorate by around 50 electors. SD1W already exceeds the recommended 2,500 elector limit. The (Acting) Returning Office is not proposing to alter this polling district, as there is usually a low turnout of around 20% for this polling district and there are nearly 300 postal voters. Therefore the (Acting) Returning Officer is satisfied that the electorate being slightly over the recommended 2,500 will not have a detrimental effect on the running of an election within the polling district.

SD3W's electorate is expected to increase by around 32 electors, due to the potential development of 29 properties, which would not have an impact on the electorate number.

Should the proposed new Parliamentary constituency boundaries be accepted by Parliament, the current polling districts SD1W and SD2W would move into Kingston upon Hull East with the remainder of the ward remaining in Kingston upon Hull West & Hessle. As the proposed parliamentary boundary will follow the polling district boundary between the current SD1W and SD3W, the (Acting) Returning Officer is not proposing any amendments to this boundary.

Recommendations

1. The (Acting) Returning Officer, in light of the predicted increase in electorate for SD2W, is proposing to split the polling district into two. The split, from east to west, would be along the centre of Alfred Gelder Street, Carr Lane and Anlaby Road. The northern polling district would be named SD2W and the southern new polling district would be named SD3W.

The polling place for SD2W and SD3W would be Hands on History Museum, Old Grammar School, South Church Side, HU1 1RR.

As the electorate increases within SD2W as developments are completed, the (Acting) Returning Officer will review the suitability of Hands on History Museum as the polling place for this particular polling district in terms of its size and location.

Due to the additional polling district, other polling districts in the ward would be renamed:

- The current SD3W polling district would be renamed to SD4W
 - The current SD4W polling district would be renamed to SD5W
 - The current SD5W polling district would be renamed to SD6W
 - The current SD6W polling district would be renamed to SD7W
2. Should the proposed parliamentary boundary changes be agreed, the proposed SD1W, SD2W and SD3W polling districts would be within Kingston upon Hull East constituency. Therefore they would be renamed to be SD1E, SD2E and SD3E.

Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Electorate
SD1W	The Octagon - Reception Area, Walker Street, HU3 2RA	2841
SD2W	Hands on History Museum, Old Grammar School, South Church Side, HU1 1RR	1800
SD3W	Hands on History Museum, Old Grammar School, South Church Side, HU1 1RR	1300
SD4W	Maurice Rawling Centre, 41 Bean Street, HU3 2PN	1495
SD5W	Boulevard Baptist Church, Gordon Street, HU3 3HJ	1607
SD6W	Edinburgh Street Community Centre, Edinburgh Street, HU3 5AR	1183
SD7W	St Matthew's Church Hall, Boulevard, (opposite Malm Street), HU3 2TA	1466

Consultation responses and (Acting) Returning Officer comments

Polling Place	Consultation response received from	Comments received	Acting Returning Officer's response to consultation comments	Acting Returning Officer's Recommendations
SD5W	Resident in the polling district	Cannot walk far as I am disabled. Find it difficult where to go	The elector may wish to consider an absent vote, if they are not able to walk very far.	Propose existing Polling District & Polling Place remains unchanged

SD2W	Hull Liberal Democrats Group	<p>Some residents in the Marina reported the polling station was difficult to get to.</p> <p>Suggestion: Split in two with Castle Street the boundary.</p> <p>Suggestion: South of Castle Street can create a new polling station in the Marina area.</p>	<p>The polling station at Hands on History Museum is only a short walk from the Marina and can be easily accessed on foot.</p> <p>The (Acting) Returning Officer is not aware of any suitable locations for a polling station in the Marina area and feels this is not necessary given the location of the existing polling place.</p>	Propose initial recommendations are considered.

Sutton ward

The majority of Sutton ward is located in the Parliamentary constituency of Kingston upon Hull East, with a small area, designated as SU7N, is located in the parliamentary constituency of Kingston upon Hull North.

Polling District	Polling Place	Electorate
SU1E	St James Church Hall, Church Street, Sutton, HU7 4TL	1407
SU2E	Mobile Unit, Howdale Road, (Opposite Mallyan Close), HU8 9TY	1893
SU3E	Mobile Unit, Kestrel Avenue/Lapwing Close, HU7 4SZ	1253
SU4E	Dorchester Primary School, Dorchester Road, HU7 6AH	2209
SU5E	Saltshouse Tavern, 1 Dunvegan Road, HU8 9JD	1840
SU6E	Lambwath Restaurant, Sutton Road, HU8 0HU	1638
SU7N	St James Church Hall, Church Street, Sutton, HU7 4TL	175

There are currently no significant potential housing developments in Sutton ward within the next five years that would impact on the number of electors in the ward's polling districts.

Recommendations

The (Acting) Returning Officer is not proposing any changes in Sutton ward.

Consultation responses and (Acting) Returning Officer comments

Polling Place	Consultation response received from	Comments received	Acting Returning Officer's response to consultation comments	Acting Returning Officer's Recommendations
SU6E – Lambwath Restaurant	Resident from polling district	<p>My address was moved to the Sutton Ward in the polling review. We previously used a church situated off Wembley Park Avenue. The booths were located in a quiet location away from any distraction. The Lambwath booths are situated either within the busy carvery, with just small screens to block the diners from the booths, not suitable at all in my opinion and on the last occasion these had been moved to the lounge bar, through which you had to walk through to use the booths.</p> <p>Lambwath pub has two wards voting within the station. I would prefer to return to the Catholic Church on Wembley Park Avenue. It is quiet, more organised and more suitable as a polling station.</p> <p>Polling stations should not be situated in buildings which are open to the general public, if this is necessary there should be a separate entrance and an area</p>	<p>The usual area allocated for polling is part of the restaurant area – this has worked quite well in the past as the access is separate from the main entrance and the bar. The (Acting) Returning Officer to liaise with building owners to secure better room. There are no suitable alternatives in the area.</p> <p>Following the Local Government boundary review in 2018, a small part of Ings ward (who voted at St. Francis</p>	Propose existing Polling District & Polling Place remains unchanged.

		<p>entirely closed off for the purpose.</p>	<p>of Assisi, Wembley Park Avenue) was transferred to Sutton ward. This station is centrally located for the polling district.</p> <p>Polling station staff ensure clear instructions are given to electors.</p> <p>Different coloured ballot papers are used to ensure should any ballot papers go into the wrong ward ballot box, they can be identified at the count and included in the correct ward.</p>	
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University ward

University ward is located within the parliamentary constituency of Kingston upon Hull North.

Polling District	Polling Place	Electorate
UN1N	Marist Sports Club, Cranbrook Avenue, HU6 7TX	1621
UN2N	Respect Shop, 104 - 106 The Quadrant, HU6 8NS	1841
UN3N	Unity In Community, 501 Endike Lane, Corner of Langtoft Grove, HU6 8AH	2692

Within the next five years, there is potential for 378 properties being developed, most of which are halls of residence at the University of Hull. Therefore it is estimated a potential 400 additional electors could be registered in UN1N within the next five years. This will not significantly impact on the polling district and it will remain within the recommended 2,500 elector limit.

Recommendations

The (Acting) Returning Officer is not proposing any changes in University ward.

Although polling district UN3N exceeds the recommended elector limit of 2,500, around 250 electors are postal voters.

Consultation responses and (Acting) Returning Officer comments

No consultation responses received.

Following the General Election on 12 December 2019, The (Acting) Returning Officer is proposing to split the existing UN1N polling district into two. This is to separate out the new university accommodation at Westfield Court to help administer the election, given

the potential for significant numbers of students being registered to vote and due to the amount of flats on campus. The new polling district UN4N will still be allocated to Marist Sports Club.

Revised Proposed arrangements

Polling District	Polling Place	Estimated Electorate
UN1N	Marist Sports Club, Cranbrook Avenue, HU6 7TX	1704
UN2N	Respect Shop, 104 - 106 The Quadrant, HU6 8NS	1841
UN3N	Unity In Community, 501 Endike Lane, Corner of Langtoft Grove, HU6 8AH	2692
UN4N	Marist Sports Club, Cranbrook Avenue, HU6 7TX	1399

West Carr ward

The majority of West Carr ward, is located in the Parliamentary constituency of Kingston upon Hull North, with WC1E polling district located in Kingston upon Hull East.

Polling District	Polling Place	Electorate
WC1E	Ennerdale Leisure Centre, Sutton Road, HU7 6EA	2532
WC2N	Bodmin Road Church Hall, Bodmin Road, HU7 4HE	2224
WC3N	St Mary's Queen of Martyrs Church Hall, 200 Nidderdale, HU7 4BS	997
WC4N	Alf Marshall Community Centre, Goodhart Road, HU7 4EF	1686
WC5N	St Andrew's Community Centre, Ennerdale, HU7 6EA	2204

There are currently no significant potential housing developments in West Carr ward within the next five years.

Whilst the number of electors in WC1E exceeds the recommended 2,500 limit, nearly 400 electors are postal voters and therefore it is not deemed necessary to make any changes.

Recommendations

The (Acting) Returning Officer is not proposing any changes in West Carr ward.

Consultation responses and (Acting) Returning Officer comments

Polling Place	Consultation response received from	Comments received	Acting Returning Officer's response to consultation comments	Acting Returning Officer's Recommendations
WC1E Ennerdale Leisure Centre	Hull Liberal Democrats Group	Venue temporarily closed due to refurbishment, so likely in event of snap election will have an impact: Portable Cabin on Nidderdale between Baysdale & Bretherdale	For the General Election on 12 December 2019, a temporary cabin was able to be located in the car park of the current polling place.	Propose existing Polling District & Polling Place remains unchanged.